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News from All Parts of the World Carefully Selected from the Press Telegrams.

A Weekly Digest of the Most Important Facts and Happenings for Readers.

protect the negroes Zimmerman and Burke, who were in the county jail in Council Bluffs, Iowa, charged with attacking two women Christmas night, remained at the prison all night to prevent any further demonstration by the members of the mob that had made an unsuccessful attempt to lynch them. Two of the leaders were arrested and placed in a cell near the frightened negroes. Small groups of the would-be lynchers stood on street corners near the jail until daylight discussing the affair, but no further attempt was made to do violence to the prisoners. Zimmerman and Burke are charged with holding up and robbing Mrs. Mary Sparks and her daughter Mrs. Sanders, Christmas night, and then attacking the women. Screams of the women attracted the attention of neighbors, who came to their assistance, the negroes making their escape. The men were captured at their home Sunday pent the scene of the crime and both were identified by Mrs. Sparks and her daugh-

COLLISION ON PENNSYLVANIA. A Passenger Train Crashes Into

Freight Near Larwill, Ind. An Indianapolis News special says: Baggageman Snyder, Engineer Ebert and his fireman, all of Fort Wayne, were instantly killed in a bend-on collision on the Pennsylvania road west of Larwill, Ind., and eight passengers at least, on No. 5, the Pennsylvania limited, are serisusly injured. Dozens of cars were piled high in the air and traffic brought to a standstill. Freight train No. 76. east-bound, it is said, disregarded orders and attempted to make a switch east of Larwell, but ran into the fast train, which was going fifty miles an hour. The fireman and engineer on the freight train jumped and escaped serious injury.

BRAVE FLAMES TO SAVE TRAIN,

Engineer Takes Locomotive Over Burning Bridge to Warn Limited. Dashing over a burning bridge in a light locomotive at the risk of the lives of himself and his fireman, Engineer Greenhough succeeded in warning the approaching east-bound limited of its dauger and prevented the heavy train from being plunged into the Mouse river, near Crookston, Minn. By the time the train was due at the bridge the structure was a mass of charred ruins.

Control of Steel Trust. The New York World declares that the hands of John D. Rockefeller and H. C. Frick, and that the Morgan-Perkins-Schwab-Carnegie party will be climi-

Snake Indian Chief Killed. Lah-Ta Micco, the executive head of the Snake Indians, the most turbulent faction of the Creek Nation, has been killed by a limb falling from a tree. He will be succeeded by Chitto Harjo, see-

ond chief.

Pope for Gregorian Chant. The Pope has issued of his own accord a note on the subject of sacred music in churches, recommending the Gregorian chant. The note will be published in the Osservatore Romano

Farmer Kills Saloonkeeper. After failing to induce the district attorney in Portland, Ore., to issue a warrant for the arrest of Albert Young, who he alleged had alienated his wife's affections, David G. Van Houten, a farmer, went to a saloon and, without warning, shot Young, one of the proprietors, who died three hours later. Van Houten es-

Kills Self Before Flances. whom he was to have married in Knoxville, Tenn., J. L. Householder, aged 20, drank carbolic acid, after he had sent the young lady from the room to get him a drink of water. He died in terrible agony a few minutes later before her

Manufacturer Ends His Life. W. O. Brewster, a member of the firm of Bolger & Brewster, underwear manufacturers at 256 Church street, New York, committed suicide at a hotel in Cincinnati by hanging himself. For two days he had been suffering from nervousness, which it is believed caused temporary insanity.

Mother Slain at Child's Side. Frank Rose, a barber, formerly of St. Louis, surrendered himself in Sait Lake City, confessing that he murdered his The police visited the house and found the woman dead in bed, her 2year-old son alive beside her, his night

clothes saturated with blood. Rich Tin Ore in Alaska.

The United States geological survey will soon announce the discovery of tin ore, in probably vast quantities, in Alas-Enthusiasts state that the tin deposits eclipse in value the Alaskan gold fields.

Wealthy Woman Suffocated. Mrs. William Wallsce, a wealthy widow of St. Paul, was found dead in her room under circumstances that indicate suicide. Her body, clad in a night robe, lay on the floor hidden under a bed. The room was filled with escaping gas.

Kills Father in Defense of Mother. In Joplin. Mo., Bert Barron, aged 17, shot and killed his father, Mat E. Bar-chusetts, was stricken suddenly with ron, a miner, while protecting his mother heart disease at her home in Washington from an assault. The elder Barron was and died within an hour. intoxicated. Young Barron, who is under arrest, says the shooting was acci-

Ohlo Convention Set for May. Republican State Central Committee, announced that at a conference with General Charles Dick and other party leaders it had been decided that the Ohio State convention would be held about the middle of next May.

Twenty-five members of the Dodge ARRESTED AND DIES OF SHAME. Mary Cibbs, Confessed Forger,

Expires from Humiliation. According to Coroner Charles Lester the death of Mrs. Mary Gibbs, who expired suddenly in Kansas City within a few hours after her arrest on a charge of swindling nearly every bank in town by means of forged drafts, was due to congestion of the lungs brought about by the shame and disgrace following her ar rest and arraignment. Mrs. Gibbs died after an illness of less than three hours, the home of her grandfather, George Holmes, former city assessor and one of the oldest and best-known residents of Kansas City. Mrs. Gibbs was only 21 years old, but had been twice married. The act for which Mrs. Gibbs was are seeing enten out. Last year a Mexi rested and to which she confessed, was can sheep herder murdered Eugene Pack the forcery of a draft for \$520 on a ard, a prominent cattleman, and a few Chicago bank. She cashed it at the Mis- days ago cowboys killed two sheepmen souri Savings Bank after forging also the in reprisal. cashier's "O. K." It has been discovered by the police that she had by the forged "O. K." method secured \$100 from the National Bank of Commerce \$600 from another national bank, \$500 from another and smaller sums from ther institutions.

CRAFT SINKS IN A FOC.

Steamer Erastus Corning Runs on Rocks Off Norwalk, Conn. In a thick fog the steamer Erastus Corning of the Starin line, bound from New Haven for New York with thirty passengers and a heavy cargo of freight. struck on the rocks of Copp's Island, just outside Norwalk harbor, Conn. A hole two feet square was stove in the side of the steamer and within five minutes she sunk in fifteen feet of water. shock of the collision and the cries of the crew aroused the passengers, who rushed on deck in a panic. Most of them were thinly clad. During the confusion six of the passengers cleared away in a to the present time have not been heard from. Aside from the missing party, all the passengers and crew reached South Norwalk safely on board a tug and the passengers soon left by train for New York. Some of them had no outer wraps

IMPROVED HIS TIME WELL.

Constable Makes Important Arrests While Serving Sentence. While serving thirty days in the county jail at Youngstown, Ohio, Constable Dennis Esgan of Collesville township made a record. He was the constable ed Michael Livingston, an attorney. He pleaded guilty and served out his sentence. In the meantime he has succeed ed in arresting three prisoners, wanted for serious offenses. He got information from other prisoners which led to the arrest of two of the men and the recovery of considerable stolen property. When arrest one man Esgan was taken out of the jail and made the arrest himself. As soon as he was at liberty he returned to his work as constable in East Youngs-

BUTTER SUPPLY FALLS OFF.

South Dakota and Iowa Produce Much Less than Formerly. Reports of the dairy commissioners of lowa and South Dakota, two of the most important dairying States, recently made public, show that the butter output of both is shrinking at a rate that cannot but alarm people who are prejudiced against oleomargarine. In South Dakota the number of creameries decreased from 153 to 130. In Iowa it has been reduced in the last five years by about 150 creameries. The output of butter has not shrunk in so large a proportion in either State, but it is smaller in both Decreasing areas for pasturage, as land becomes too valuable, have caused the

Death in Burning Cars. Two men were burned to death and eight others injured in a wreck near Williamstown, Ky. A wrecking train that was backing up from Mason, Ky., collided with a freight train. The cars took fire instantly after the crash, and before the two victims could be extricated from the wreckage they were burned to death.

Hold Up Two Men and Rob Safe. Two men with revolvers held up two men at Haverford, Pa. Later a man escorting several women was stopped by the same bandits, but the screams of his companions scared the footpads off. Afterward the robbers appeared at Strafford, blew open the safe in the railroad station and took about \$1,000.

Suicide Uses Knife and Gun. Crazed by the long continued use of strong drink and angered because the affection which he felt toward his landlady, Mrs. Ida Johnson, was not reciprocated, Gust Kuhn, in Minneapolis, at-tempted to take her life and killed himself. Kuhn shot the woman in the breast, but the wound did not prove fatal.

Another Massacre Feared.

Repetition of the massacre of Jews in Kischineff, it is feared, will take place on the Russian Christmas day, Jan. 7. Incendiary leaflets and post cards are being circulated and the governor offers little hope.

Death of Mrs. George F. Hoar. Mrs. George Frisbie Hoar, aged 60. wife of the senior Senator from Massa-

Passengers Escape Death. Thirteen passengers who faced deati for five days when the steamship Me-nominee was overwhelmed and disabled John B. Clingerman, chairman of the | by a giant wave in the Atlantic arrived in New York City on the Cedric.

Giris Lost: Mob Beats Suspects.
In Haughville, Ind., an excited mob of
men and women, led by the father, made
an attack on the huts occupied by Hun-

garian laborers who were suspected of enticing two little girls into their homes and detaining them. Houses were enforth into the readway while the mol searched for the girls.

SLAYS HIS EROTHER'S WIDOW.

Jilted Missouri Flan Follows Mur-der with Effort at Suicide. Jealous because his brother's widow. Mrs. Florence Lev, intended to marry another man, Samuel W. Lee, aged 30, shot and killed the woman in her room in Holmes street, Kansas City, and then tried to end his own life. Soon after this brother died a year ago Lee became attentive to Mrs. Lee and repeatedly urged her to marry him. Finally be intercepted a letter to her from a man whom she admitted she intended to mar ty and then a quarrel ensued. After vainly trying to persuade her to marry him. Lee fired twice at her. Both bul-lets entered Mrs. Lee's breast, but she reached the door and tried to escape. Lee pursued and fired twice more at the fleeing woman, who fell dead on the stair-way. Lee fired two bullets into his own breast and was trying to locate his heart for a third shot when neighbors broke into the room. Escaping from a rear door, Lee fled down an alley. Before be was captured and overpowered he cut his throat with a knife, inflicting a fatal hurt. Mrs. Lee was about 30 years of age and a scamstress. She had two small children. Lee is said to have a wife in Kansas and a daughter at Lib-

START NEW TONTO BASIN WAR. Two Sheep Herders Killed in Repris-

al for Murder of Cattlemen. Another Tonto Basin war appears t be breaking out between the cattlemen of that region of Arizona and the sheep men, who are yearly invading the range with thousands of sheep. The sheepmer claim to be passing through the basin or their way to the winter range on the plains near Phoenix, but their pathway is spreading, and the winter cattle ranges are being enten out. Last year a Mexi The victims were a young man named Berry, in charge of his father's band of several thousand sheep, and Mexican lad, his assistant. The father of the latter is the only witness. The authorities at Paysol believe they have established the identity of the murder ers, and two deputies have gone to Pleas ant Valley after them.

IS IT NEGROES' REVENCE?

Man Who Robbed Graves of Colored

Lebanon cemetery in Philadelphia, was found unconscious at Fifth and Walnut streets, in that city, with his skull fractured, and died a few hours later. Me Namee was arrested for the grave rob beries and sent to prison for two years. When he was released he was followed by negroes bent on killing him. For small boat and left the steamer, and up years he lived in terror and regretted naving left prison.

CUPID HURTS OMAHA SCHOOLS

An Epidemics of Weddings Among Women Teachers. Marriages have so thinned the ranks of teachers in the Omaha public schools that the board of education has been forced to dismiss some classes and com-bine others. "Matrimony has become an epidemic among the teachers," said Superintendent Pearse. "I thought we were safely over the trouble for a year, but the Christmas vacation brought more

Cotton Un 51 Points. New high-record prices were

amid the greatest excitement at the opening of the New York Cotton Exchange Monday. First prices were at an ad vance of 23 to 51 points. Before the call was fairly completed March had sold at 14.01c, May at 14.20c and July at 14.14c.

Former Congressman Slain. John M. Glover, a former Congress-man from Missouri, defied the military strike order in Cripple Creek. Colo., to surrender his arms and was shot by soldiers, who forced open his barricaded

Woman to Hang in Minnesota. In Brainerd, Minn., a jury found Mrs. Myra Jane Williams guilty of murder in the first degree. She was charged with murdering her 2-year-old daughter Aug. 21 and afterward throwing the body into the Mississippi River.

Millions Leaving Ireland. Sir Horace Plunkett, commissioner of ngriculture in Ireland, at a public dinner in Richmond, Va., said that Ireland's sons were leaving by the million, and unless the tide could be stemmed the agricultural districts would be depopulated.

Chore Boy is Heir to \$30,000. The will of Francis B. Peckham, who was a leading lawyer in Newport, R. L. leaves \$30,000 for the education of Edward J. Corcoran, a boy who had done odd jobs in Mr. Peckham's household.

Spider Bite Proves Fatal. Philip E. Burroughe, a grain commis-ion merchant and formerly British vice consul at Kansas City, died there from blood poisoning, the result of a spider

Ear Transplanting a Fake. The story sent out from New York cently of a western millionaire paying

\$5,000 for a human car and having it transplanted to his own head to replace missing organ is declared to be a hoax. Earthquakes on Two Coasts. Distinct earthquake shocks were felt

in Ogdensburg, N. Y., and also all along

the St. Lawrence valley. A similar dis-turbance rocked business buildings in Los Angeles, Cal. Situation in the East. Russia is watching keenly the unusual war preparatios being made by China. Belief is spreading that hostilities in the Orient may embroil not only Great Brit-ain, but France also.

Many Killed in Wreck. Twenty-two persons were killed and thirty injured in a head-on collision on the Pere Marquette Road six miles east of Grand Rapids, Mich.

Demands of Colombia. Gen. Reyes, in behalf of Colombia, demands that former conditions on the isthmus be restored and his country allowed to put down the rebellion alone.

Hobbers Dostroy Bank. Desperate bank robbers blew up the Kiowa Bank in Indian Territory and stole or destroyed \$28,000 in currency after a battle with citizens.

Trade Reports Conflict. Reports on volume of country's holi-day trade are conflicting, according to Dun's Weekly Review; December railroad earnings 6 per cent over 1902.

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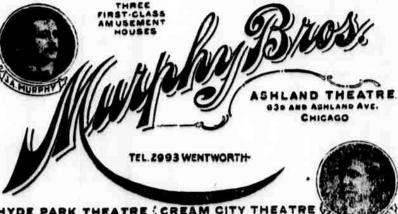
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